

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Douglis et al.	§ Group Art Unit: 2159
Serial No.: 10/737,213	§
	§ Examiner: Le, Miranda
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Filed: December 16, 2003	§ Confirmation No.: 7687
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For: Method and Apparatus for Data Redundancy Elimination at the Block Level	§ Attorney Docket No.: YOR920030576US1

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In response to the Final Office Action dated January 11, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.